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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated January 31, 2001, setting a three month period for response. It is hereby petitioned that the period permitted for response be extended by one month, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), so that it will expire on May 31, 2001. The requisite fee for the Petition is provided by the enclosed Fee Transmittal.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the Specification as shown below:

At page 4, lines 20 through 23; replace the paragraph with the following:

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